

Downtown Sarasota Dining Guide

A Curated Collection for Our Residents

We are pleased to present this comprehensive dining guide featuring the finest restaurants in Downtown Sarasota. Each establishment has been carefully selected from the official Downtown Sarasota restaurant directory, with ratings and directional information sourced from Google Maps. Restaurants that have permanently closed have been excluded from this guide. All directions are provided from our primary location at **1991 Main Street, Sarasota, Florida 34236**. Walking directions are provided for restaurants within two miles; driving directions are provided for those beyond walking distance. Restaurant names are hyperlinked to Google Maps with star ratings for your convenience. We trust this guide will help you discover exceptional dining experiences throughout our vibrant downtown.

Sarasota Downtown Restaurant Recommendations

American / Continental				
Restaurant Name	Business Hours	Description	Directions	Category
<u>Indigenous</u> (4.5★)	Tue–Sat: 5:30 PM – 8:45 PM Sun–Mon: Closed	Award-winning farm-to-table American cuisine served in a beautifully restored 1920s bungalow with intimate garden seating.	0.3 mi (7 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, turn left onto Ringling Blvd, destination on right at S Links Ave.	Fine Dining
<u>Lila</u> (4.6★)	Tue–Fri: 11 AM – 9 PM Sat–Sun: 10:30 AM – 9 PM Mon: Closed	Health-conscious eatery featuring organic American dishes with extensive vegan and gluten-free options in a stylish space.	0.5 mi (11 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St, destination on left.	Upscale Casual
<u>State Street Eating House</u> (4.5★)	Sun–Thu: 4 PM – 9:30 PM Fri–Sat: 4 PM – 10 PM	Rustic-chic venue offering craft cocktails, artisan sandwiches, and New American entrées with locally sourced ingredients.	0.6 mi (13 min walk): Head west on Links Ave to Main St, turn right onto Orange Ave, left onto State St.	Casual Dining

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<u>Boca Kitchen Bar Market</u> (4.5★)	Mon–Thu: 11 AM – 10 PM Fri: 11 AM – 12 AM Sat: 9:30 AM – 12 AM Sun: 9:30 AM – 10 PM	Hip industrial-chic restaurant serving farm-to-fork dishes with a robust wine list and weekend brunch offerings.	0.6 mi (13 min walk): Head west on Links Ave to Main St, continue to S Lemon Ave, destination on right.	Upscale Casual
<u>Mattison's City Grille</u> (4.4★)	Sun–Mon: 11 AM – 10 PM Tue–Thu: 11 AM – 11 PM Fri: 11 AM – 12 AM Sat: 10 AM – 12 AM	Lively New American restaurant featuring live music nightly, tiki-inspired outdoor seating, and an extensive cocktail menu.	0.6 mi (13 min walk): Head west on Links Ave to Main St, destination at N Lemon Ave.	Casual Dining
<u>Patrick's 1481</u> (4.4★)	Sun: 10 AM – 9 PM Mon, Wed: 11 AM – 9 PM Thu–Fri: 11 AM – 10 PM Sat: 10 AM – 10 PM Tue: Closed	Neighborhood favorite serving burgers, sandwiches, and comfort foods with a full bar in a relaxed atmosphere.	0.6 mi (13 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St, destination on left.	Casual Dining

Seafood

Restaurant Name	Business Hours	Description	Directions	Category
<u>Duval's Fresh Local Seafood</u> (4.6★)	Sun–Sat: 11 AM – 10 PM	High-end seafood and choice meats prepared in sleek contemporary surroundings with an impressive raw bar selection.	0.7 mi (15 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St to 1435 Main St.	Upscale Casual
<u>Owen's Fish Camp</u> (4.6★)	Sun–Thu: 4 PM – 9:30 PM Fri–Sat: 4 PM – 10:30 PM	Bustling locale serving imaginative seafood dishes amid eclectic Old Florida decor with a lively atmosphere.	0.8 mi (19 min walk): Via Links Ave to Main St, S Orange Ave, Ringling Blvd to Burns Court.	Casual Dining
<u>Marina Jack's</u> (4.3★)	Sun–Sat: 11 AM – 10 PM	Waterfront seafood destination with outdoor raw bar patio, upstairs dining room, and expansive marina views.	1.0 mi (23 min walk): Head west on Links Ave to Main St, continue to Marina Plaza.	Upscale Casual
<u>Jack Dusty</u> (4.4★)	Sun–Thu: 7 AM – 11 PM Fri–Sat: 7 AM – 12 AM	Award-winning Ritz-Carlton restaurant serving refined seafood and crafted cocktails in an elegant nautical setting.	1.2 mi (28 min walk): Via Links Ave, 3rd St, N Tamiami Trail to Ritz Carlton Dr.	Fine Dining

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Italian

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<u>Mediterraneo</u> (4.6★)	Sun: 5 PM – 10 PM Mon–Thu: 11:30 AM – 2:30 PM, 5 PM – 10 PM Fri: 11:30 AM – 2:30 PM, 5 PM – 10:30 PM Sat: 5 PM – 10:30 PM	White-tablecloth restaurant featuring wood-fired pizzas and authentic Italian cuisine with an extensive wine selection.	0.2 mi (4 min walk): Head south on Links Ave, turn right onto Main St to 1970 Main St.	Upscale Casual
<u>IL Panificio Pizza & Bakery</u> (4.5★)	Sun–Sat: 9 AM – 9 PM	Brick-walled Italian restaurant and deli serving hand-tossed pizzas, fresh pasta, and artisan baked goods.	0.3 mi (6 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St.	Fast Casual
<u>Bevardi's Salute!</u> (4.5★)	Sun–Thu: 4 PM – 9 PM Fri–Sat: 4 PM – 10 PM	High-end eatery providing traditional Italian dishes with an extensive wine list and charming outdoor seating.	0.6 mi (14 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, turn right onto 2nd St, left onto 1st St.	Upscale Casual
<u>Cafe Epicure</u> (4.4★)	Sun–Sat: 11:45 AM – 10:30 PM	Relaxed venue offering classic Italian fare, house-made baked goods, and specialty cocktails in a welcoming space.	0.8 mi (18 min walk): Via Links Ave to Main St, continue to N Palm Ave.	Casual Dining

Asian

Restaurant Name	Business Hours	Description	Directions	Category
<u>Utamaro Sushi</u> (4.7★)	Mon–Fri: 11:30 AM – 2 PM, 5 PM – 9 PM Sat: 1 PM – 9:30 PM Sun: 1 PM – 9 PM	Cozy, dimly lit restaurant with a sushi bar serving a wide variety of fresh rolls, sushi, and premium nigiri.	0.1 mi (3 min walk): Head south on Links Ave, turn right onto Main St.	Upscale Casual
<u>Drunken Poet Thai Cafe</u> (4.5★)	Sun–Thu: 11 AM – 10 PM Fri–Sat: 11 AM – 12 AM	Informal restaurant offering creative sushi rolls and traditional Thai dishes in a vibrant, welcoming atmosphere.	0.5 mi (11 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St to 1572 Main St.	Casual Dining
<u>Pho Cali Vietnamese</u> (4.4★)	Mon–Thu: 11 AM – 3:30 PM, 5 PM – 9 PM Fri–Sat: 11 AM – 3:30 PM, 5 PM – 9:30 PM Sun: Closed	No-frills storefront serving bubble tea, smoothies, and traditional Vietnamese stir-fry and pho noodles.	0.5 mi (11 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St.	Casual Dining
<u>Tropical Thai</u> (4.4★)	Mon: 4 PM – 9 PM Tue–Fri: 11:30 AM – 2 PM, 4 PM – 9 PM Sat: 4 PM – 10 PM Sun: Closed	Informal eatery serving traditional Thai dishes including noodles, curries, and authentic Asian flavors.	0.6 mi (15 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St.	Casual Dining

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Cafés, Bakeries & Delis

Restaurant Name	Business Hours	Description	Directions	Category
<u>C'est La Vie</u> (4.5★)	Sun–Sat: 7:30 AM – 6 PM	Authentic French cafe and bakery serving croissants, crêpes, and breakfast and lunch favorites indoors and out.	0.5 mi (11 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St.	Casual Dining
<u>Pastry Art</u> (4.6★)	Sun: 8 AM – 3 PM Mon–Sat: 7 AM – 4 PM	Coffee shop offering premium java, sandwiches, artisan pastries, and outside tables in a relaxed ambiance.	0.6 mi (12 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St.	Fast Casual
<u>Station 400</u> (4.5★)	Sun–Sat: 7:30 AM – 2:30 PM	Locally sourced American breakfast and lunch served in a beautifully restored 1924 historic train depot.	0.7 mi (15 min walk): Via Links Ave, 3rd St, 4th St to N Lemon Ave.	Casual Dining
<u>First Watch</u> (4.5★)	Sun–Sat: 7 AM – 2:30 PM	Popular daytime cafe serving breakfast, brunch, and lunch freshly prepared with seasonal ingredients.	0.7 mi (16 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St.	Casual Dining

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Steakhouse & BBQ

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<u>Hyde Park Steakhouse</u> (4.5★)	Sun: 4 PM – 8:30 PM Mon–Thu: 4 PM – 9 PM Fri–Sat: 4 PM – 10 PM	High-end steakhouse chain serving grilled meats, seafood, and cocktails in a sophisticated, elegant setting.	0.6 mi (14 min walk): Via Links Ave to Main St, S Orange Ave to S Lemon Ave.	Fine Dining
<u>Bricks Smoked Meats</u> (4.6★)	Mon–Thu: 11 AM – 10 PM Fri: 11 AM – 11 PM Sat: 9:30 AM – 11 PM Sun: 9:30 AM – 10 PM	Slow-smoked Texas-style BBQ with craft cocktails in a cool, light-strung space with inviting patio seating.	0.7 mi (13 min walk): Via Links Ave, Main St, S Orange Ave to Ringling Blvd.	Casual Dining

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Latin / Mexican

Restaurant Name	Business Hours	Description	Directions	Category
<u>Selva Grill Nuevo Latino</u> (4.6★)	Sun–Tue: 4 PM – 11 PM Wed: 4 PM – 9 PM Thu–Fri: 4 PM – 1 AM Sat: 4 PM – 11 PM	Peruvian eatery serving inventive ceviches and sizable cocktails in a chic room with elegant contemporary decor.	0.8 mi (17 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St.	Upscale Casual

Tavern & Bar

Restaurant Name	Business Hours	Description	Directions	Category
Cask & Ale (4.5★)	Sat–Sun: 11 AM – 2 AM Mon–Fri: 3 PM – 2 AM	Relaxed bar and restaurant with a dog-friendly patio, extensive craft beers, and a menu of burgers and salads.	0.5 mi (11 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St.	Casual Dining
Evie's Tavern & Grill (4.3★)	Sun–Sat: 11 AM – 2 AM	Easygoing industrial space with pub grub, signature cocktails, pool table, and sidewalk seating.	0.5 mi (11 min walk): Head west on Links Ave, continue onto Main St.	Casual Dining
O'Leary's Tiki Bar & Grill (4.3★)	Mon–Thu: 11 AM – 9 PM Fri–Sat: 8 AM – 10 PM Sun: 8 AM – 9 PM	Casual open-air tropical-themed joint on the beach serving food and drinks with stunning waterfront views.	0.9 mi (22 min walk): Via Links Ave, Main St, S Orange Ave, Ringling Blvd to Marina Plaza.	Casual Dining

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